October 22, 1949.

Dr. A. P. Krueger, Dept. Bacteriology, University of California, Berkeley, Calif.

Dear Dr. Krueger:

By this time you should have received my prospectus for a course in bacterial genetics. I trust that it fulfilled your requirements.

I am writing now to tell that Dr. Beadle at the California Institute of Technology has written me suggesting that an advanced lecture and demonstration course on microbial genetics, presumably along the lines of the Cold Spring Harbor Phage Course, be organized at Caltech, with my participation. Because I would be unable to accept this offer for next summer if I came to Berkeley, I would appreciate very much anything that could be done to expedite our arrangements, so that I could give Beadle a definite answer.

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg,